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Council Connection

Recent Council actions from September 2 meeting:

- Three couples and a townhome association are this year's winners of Shoreview's Green Community Awards. The awards recognize homeowners and businesses for their efforts in Best Management Practices for water quality, energy efficiency and general environmental initiatives. The winners are:
 - Merrill & Lisa Morse
 - Peter & Sue Wyckoff
 - John & Lori Suzukida
 - Willow Creek Owners Association
- The City was recognized for achieving Step 3, the highest step currently attainable, in the Minnesota GreenStep City program. As one of 67 participating cities, Shoreview is helping lead the way in sustainability across the state. The program is voluntary and focuses on cost savings, energy use reduction and encourages civic innovation.
- The City adopted its preliminary tax levy of \$10,267,918 and a preliminary HRA tax levy of \$95,000 for 2015. This preliminary levy is \$154,753 lower than the amount adopted as part of the biennial budget for 2015. According to the Ramsey County Assessor, the median single-family home value in Shoreview will increase 10.2% for 2015. Council also set the budget hearing for the first regular Council meeting in December scheduled for December 1, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

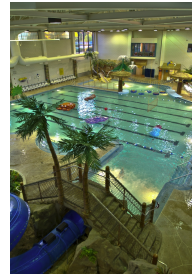


Pictured back row, left to right: Ady Wickstrom, Terry Quigley and Emy Johnson. Pictured front row, left to right: City Manager Terry Schwerm, Mayor Sandy Martin and Ben Withhart.

Annual Pool Shutdown

Community Center pool closed for annual maintenance, Sept. 2-19

The Shoreview Community Center's Tropics Indoor Waterpark pool shuts down each year for routine and preventative pool maintenance and cleaning. This year, the annual pool shutdown will take place Sept. 2 to 19. For Community Center members and those who have purchased a daily pass or coupon booklet, lap swim will be available at Chippewa Middle School, 5000 Hodgson Road. [Read more details](#).



Salsa Showdown - Farmers' Market

Put your salsa recipe to the test, Sept. 23

Visit the [Shoreview Farmers' Market](#) for the freshest locally-grown produce. September 23 features a Salsa Showdown: If you have the best salsa recipe, put it to the test! Enter it into our Salsa Showdown and let our judges decide: [Entry form and details](#). And remember to pick up a bouquet of colorful flowers while you can! The Market runs from 3 to 7 p.m. every Tuesday until September 30, and from 3 to 6 p.m. October 7 and 14.



Fire Department Open House

Enjoy Lake Johanna Fire Department's free festivities, Sat. Oct. 4

Mark your calendars for all the fun festivities in celebration of Fire Prevention Week at Lake Johanna Fire Department's Fall Open House on Saturday, Oct. 4. This year's message is "Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives: Test Yours Every Month!" The free event will be held at Fire Station #3 (Lexington Ave. and County Road I), from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Activities and visits will include:



- Fire truck rides until 1:30 p.m.
- Grade school poster coloring contest
- Truck and equipment displays
- Door prizes and refreshments
- Firefighter picture boards
- Ramsey County Sheriff's Department
- Allina Transportation Services

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